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and an acquisition means for acquiring the version of said image data or said image data group received in said input means,

wherein said storage control means is capable of changing a compression ratio of said irreversible compressed image data,

~~The image storage and display system according to claim 1,~~ wherein said storage control means assigns a parameter or parameters representing an image quality to each said version of said image data and stores each said version of said image data in said storage medium,

wherein said input means receives a parameter or parameters corresponding to a desired version of said image data from a user, and

wherein said acquisition means acquires said desired version of said image data from said image server and displays said desired version of said image data on said display terminal.

30. (currently amended): An image storage and display system comprising an image server storing image data recorded on a high readout-speed capable storage medium, and a display terminal connected to said image server via a network, wherein;

said image server is provided with a storage control means that creates reversible compressed image data of an original image data, and at least one irreversible compressed image data, and stores in said storage medium said original image data or said reversible compressed image data, and said at least one irreversible compressed image data, which stand for multiple versions of image data, and

said display terminal is provided with an input means capable of receiving specification of a version of the image data or an image data group to be displayed on said display terminal, and an acquisition means for acquiring the version of said image data or said image data group received in said input means,